



**MEMORANDUM**

**To:** Indiana Superintendents  
Indiana Building Superintendents

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**Subject:** Release of Four Star Schools For 2009-2010

The Indiana Department of Education will release the list of 2009-2010 Four Star schools later today.

Attached you will find:

- The list of 2009-10 Four Star Schools
- A detailed description of the revised methodology used in the calculations
- The cut scores defining the top 25<sup>th</sup> percentiles
- A spreadsheet containing Four Star data for every school in Indiana

In today's press release, Dr. Bennett said: "Today I offer sincere congratulations to Indiana's 2009-10 Four Star Schools as we celebrate their dedication to academics," Superintendent of Public Instruction Dr. Tony Bennett said. "These schools set high expectations for their students on a daily basis, and as a result, students work hard and exceed those expectations. The students and teachers in these schools should be extremely proud of this honor, and I am confident they will continue down this path of success."

Four Star schools should expect to receive their certificates within the next two weeks.